GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
LOK SABHA

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HEALTH INSURANCE SCHEME
SANAT KUMAR MANDAL

Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether there has been a good response to the health insurance scheme that has been considered by the Government;

(b) if so, the whether the Government has permitted private companies to undertake health insurance in the country;

(c) if so, the details thereof;

(d) the extent to which this scheme will cover all persons;

(e) whether even the poorest people can afford to go in for health insurance in the country; and

(f) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI A. RAJA)

(a) to (f) The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.